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Title: RECORDING APPARATUS AND COMPUTER-READABLE PROGRAM

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- 11.  English Translation Document *(if applicable)*
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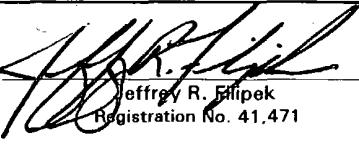
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